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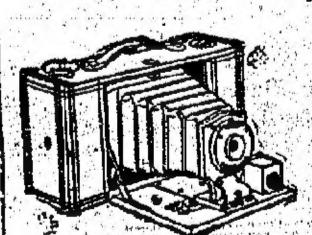
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Hongrong, December 12rm, 1910.

No details have yet been published regarding the reported decision of the Imperial Government to carry out an important reorganisation of the Colonial Department and the public will now hardly expect to bear anything until the new Parliament Since the constitution of the Australian Commonwealth and the formation of the Union of South Africa the responsibility connected with the duties of the a Secretary of State for the Colonies has been greatly augmented, and it is obvious that as the Empire continues to grow in population and strength, there must be a corresponding increase in the importance attaching to his office. The suggestion has been made that the functions now performed by Secretary for the Colonies ought to be divided between two Cabinet Ministers, one to retain the present title and to concern himself with the smaller Colonies, the other to represent the Home Government in its dealings with the Oversea Dominions. Possibly this represents the leading feature of the reorganisation which has been decided upon. This is not all that is needed, however. When Lord NORTHCOTE returned home from Australia about a couple of years ago on relinquishing the Governor-Generalship of the Commonwealth, his lordship in a speech at a Colonial Institute banquet said be was sure that a great many of the small misunder-

standings which arise from time to time

between Downing Street and the Over-Sca Dominions arose from "misunderstanding and ignorance." Lord Northcore threw out the suggestion that if every Governor-General had some representative of the Colonial Office attached to his staff who would keep him in touch with the interior working of the Colonial Office and acquire personal knowledge of Colonial public men, it would be mutually beneficial and of great advantage to the Empire. Lord CREWE, then the Secretary of State for the Colonies, who was present on the occasion, promised to give his best attention to the subject, all the more from its having been raised by one so theroughly qualified to speak on it. We are not aware that anything has actually been done in this direction; but, then, two years is as yesterday in a Government Department. Possibly the outcome of these deliberations is embodied in the scheme of reorganisation the London Press has recently foreshadowed. If the big Colonies suffer from "misunderstanding and ignorance" at Downing Street, how much more likely are the little Colonies to suffer? In the case of our own Colony of Hongkong we have had within the past couple of years a very glaring instance-of "misunderstanding and ignorance" at the Colonial Office. Need we say that we refer to the closing of the opium divans? No thought had evidently been given to the dislocation of the Colony's finances which that order entailed, and it was only after the protests from the Colony reached home that the Government were able to appreciate the fact that in the words of the Under Secretary of the day, it was a case of "Our morals at other people's expense." It will be hoped that the scheme of reorganisation decided upon will afford the Crown Colonies some protection against a repetition of mischievous interference of this character. If the cause of public morality had been substantially severd by the order of the Colonial Office, the Colony would have shouldered the financial burden without complaint. But the step could not be justified on those grounds in Hongkong, and experience has shown that it has, in fact, added considerably to the responsibilities of the police. It is time that the Imperial Government recognised that Crown Colonies like Hongkong and the Straits Settlements no longer require leading strings.

The English mail of the 12th November was delivered in London on the 9th inst.

The "boys" of the Hongkong Hotel, with but one or two exceptions, have had their queues

The names of Messrs. W. Maxfield and E. W. H. James have been added to the local register of chemists and druggists.

The Christian Science Publication Committee of Hongkong has received confirmation of the news of the death of Mrs. Eddy.

At the Magistracy on Saturday Mr. E. R. Hallifax fined two boatmen \$25 apiece, with the alternative of one month's imprisonment, for boarding the steamer Morea without permission

A truck coolie, whose vehicle passed over the leg of a small boy, was charged before Mr. E. R. Hallifar at the Magistracy on Saturday with reckle s driving, and was ordered to pay the injured youth-\$2-compensation.

House No. 37 Hollywood Road was reported unsafe yesterday. The tenants received notice to remove immediately, and employees of the Public Works Department proceeded forthwith to shore up the building.

The Master of the British steamer Kumchow reports having seen a large steel Furopean lighter adrift in latitude 17 deg. 50 min. N. and longitude 118 deg. 38 min. E. in the direct track of ships bound between Hongkong and Manils on the 5th instant.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Subadar-Major Muhammed Ali, Hongkong and Singapore Battalion, Royal Garrision Artillery, to be one of his honorary nides-decamp vice Subadar-Major Ahmed Din, Hongkong and Singapore Battalion, Royal Garrision Artillery, resigned.

An extract of meteorological observations made at the Hongkong Observatory during the month of November shows that the average maximum temperature for that month was 73.3, and the average minimum temperature 64.7 degrees. The month's rainfall was 2.535 inches and there were 156.4 hours of sunshine.

The following donations to the Eund for the Solomon family have been received, and are

acknowledged with thanks :--H.S ... 20.00 Charity ... 25.00 Mr. J. McGregor, Foochow ... 15.00

> MR GERSHOM STEWART RE-ELECTED.

It will be learnt with much satisfaction in Hongkong that Mr. Gershom Stewart has been re-elected as the representative of the Wirral Division of Cheshire.

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THE HIGH TREASON CASE IN JAPAN.

Tokyo, December 11th. The trial has been opened of the alleged anarchist Kotoku and twenty-five accomplices who charged with plotting the assassination of the Emperor.

Extraordinary police proceautions are being taken. Even the Judge and Counsel have been examined prior to the hearing of the case, which is expected to last several days.

THE PROPOSED CHINESE CABINET.

Tokro; December 11th. The Government is discussing the inauguration of a Cabinet on-Japanese lines, making the Ministers responsible to the Throne only.

The proposal is that the Cabinet shall consist of all the winisters Departments, with a Prince

The Throne favours Prince, Ching, but Prince Yu-land, Prince Tsai-tse and Prince Pu-lun are mentioned.

The scheme is still very vague.

THE DIPLOMATIC CORPS.

PEKING, December 11th. H.E. E. Ritter von Kuczynski, the Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Austria-Hungary, is about to be transferred obsewhere. Sir John Jordan, the British Minister, will then become doyen of the Diplomatic Corps.

REUTER'S BERVICE TO THE "HONGKONG DAILY PRESS."

REVOLT IN TURKEY.

London, December 10th. From Constantinople it is reported that Druse and Bedouin raiders have attacked the Hedjaz Railway at Katnani, eighty miles south of Deros Junction. They captured the station and wrecked the line.

Seven battalions have proceeded to Jemen and more will follow.

Official telegrams describe the situation in North Yemen as serious. Twenty thousand rebels under Imamyahya have invaded Assir.

PRINCE AND KAISER.

LONDON, December 10th. Archdoke Franz Ferdinand has arrived at Potsdam on a short visit to the Kaiser.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT BREST ARSENAL.

London, December 10th. A fire has broken out at Brest Arsenal, as the result of which twothirds of the establishment has been destroyed.

GERMANY'S FINANCIAL CONDITION.

London, December 10th. Reuter's correspondent at Berlin telegraphs that the Secretary to the Treasury in his Budget statement to the Reichstag announces an excess of revenue over estimates, reduced instalments for additional ships, and that 1912 would show a decrease in extraordinary expenditure of twenty- Independent Nationalist.] three million marks. The year 1917 would be practically free of these items, but ordinary expenditure would increase steadily till 1917. naval loan would be required in 1911. been re-elected.

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Clitheroe NATIONALISTS Louth, N. Relfast, W. Monaghan, N.

CORRECTION. We are advised by Reuter that the message of last Tuesday giving Derbyshire West as a Uniquist return refers to the West Derby division of Liverpool.

STATE OF THE POLL. The results of the election so far

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PERSONALIA. Mr. Tim Healy has been defeated. [North Louth, his former constituency, has

The Rt. Hon. H. H. A quith has been again returned for East Fife and the Rt. Hon. Alexander Ure has been re-elected for Linlithgow.

The Rt. Hon. R. McKenna has

[PROM. THE MANILA "CABLENEWS."]

MR. DICKINSON'S REPORT ON THE PHILIPPINES.

Washington, Dec. 6th. The Hon. Jacob M. Dickinson, Secretary of War, in his report to the President on his recent visit to the Philippine islands, says Yorks that the talk of independent self-government on the part of the Filipinos within the life H.K.C.C.... of the present generation is a delusion. The Secretary says that in his opinion the people of the islands are not yet prepared

for the responsibility of self-government. One of the most striking recommendations made by the Secretary of War to the President for submission to Congre's for necessary legislation, is that the authorized indebtedness of the Philippine Islands be doubled, for the reason that he finds to his them" satisfaction, that it will be impossible to carry on the necessary internal improvements in the islands without it being possible to have a larger bonded_indebtedness. The Secretary of War urges this point very strongly.

Mr. Dickinson states that while in the islands he made an exhaustive investigation of the allegations against officials of the Philippine Government in connection with the friar lands sales, and that he discovered to his own satisfaction that the extreme charges made have no basis in fact.

Mr. Dickinson recommends that a system of civil service pensions be inaugurated in the Philippine Islands. The Secretary receognises that one of the first essentials for successful administration in the islands is the permanency of the personnel of the government, and he is satisfied that the only way to secure that permanency is by some system of pensions for those who romain in the service.

A REVOLT IN TIMOR.

SAD DEATH OF THE GOVERNOR'S WIFE. FOLLOWING FRIGHT.

Our correspondent at Macao writes that sensational news has been received from the Colony of Timor. As at Macao, so in Timor there has been a revolt of the troops. Led by non-commissioned officers they laid siege to Government House and demanded the immediate departure of the Governor. The proceedings so frightened His Excellency's wife that she was prematurely confided of a stillborn child, and died soon afterwards. The broken-hearted Governor, with his three children, left as soon afterwards as possible for one of the Dutch ports to procure passage to Lisbon.

The revolutionaries proclaimed a chemist President of the island republic, and made appointments to the public offices.

SALE OF WORK AT KOWLOON.

A pretty little sale of work, the object of which was to raise funds to assist various agencies in connection with St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, took place in the Church grounds on Saturday afternoon, and was accorded a considerable measure of public support and patronage. This must have been extremely satisfactory to the Rov. H. O. Spink and the many workers of both sexes among the congregation who have worked whole-heartedly in the interests of the Church. The several stalls were attractively set out, and the display of bunting and the fissh of bright colour from the uniforms of the members of the Rajputs Band gave of picturesque appearance to the surroundings. Music added to the pleasure of the afternoon, and success followed the enterprise of an open-air cinematograph display in the evening. Other entertainments were provided, such as a sword display and glee-singing by members of the choir. The sale was opened by Lady May, who was accompanied by a party of friends, and among the others present were the Bishop of Victoria at Mrs. Lander, and Archdeacon Banister.

Those in charge of stalls were: No. 1 General Stall-Miss Spink, Mrs. Grace, Mrs. Royle, Mrs. Kennedy, Mrs. Blair and

No. 2 General Stall-Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Hayward, Mrs. Douglas and Mrs. Wynne. Refreshment Stall-Mrs. Packham, Mrs, Campbell and Mrs. Duncan. Xmas Tree-Miss Robson.

Competitions-Mesers, L. le Breton and R. Gents' Stall-Mr. F. Drude and assistants.

ACCIDENT TO THE S.S. "CHINHUA."

As the China Navigation steamer Chinhua was being berthed alongside the Douglas wharf yesterday morning she ran into the Praya wall and badly damaged her stem. It is stated that as the vessel was being manouvred alongside, with the engines going slow, the order "full speed astern " was passed from the bridge to the engine room. Instead of being put astern, however, the engines were set at full speed ahead, and as the vessel was close to the Praya at the time, she collided before they could be reversed. Fortunately, there was not space to get much way on, otherwise the fore part of the Chinhua must have been hadly telescoped. As it was, when she collided with the Praya wall the imreturned a Nationalist. Mr. Healy was an pact lifted her a few feet out of the water, the rebound threw passengers and crew off their feet. No one, however, was injured. About twelve feet of the stem of the vessel ripped open, the rivets being torn out, and there will probably be further damage below the Italian, and Spanish Legations. Many of the waterline Having watertight bulkheads, Chinhua will make little water, but it will be necessary for her to go into dock for repairs.

LOCAL SPORT.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE. FOOTBALL. LEAGUE CRICKET 238 R.G.A. (7 wickets,) ... 77 Police OTHER CRICKET. ... 278 Navy

B.C.C. v. POLICE. 'A longue second division match between the Boys' Own Club and the Police took place at Happy Valley on Saturday afternoon, and the Boys won by seven goals to nil, As in the previous moeting bet ween these teams, the police. were entirely outclassed, and the youthful playors, as the saying goes, again " ran rings round

FOOTBALL,

LEAGUE CRICKET.

KOWLOON U. R.G. V. This match; played on Saturday at King's Park ended in a draw, Kowloon being unable to dismiss their opponents in time. Scores:-

J. P. Robinson, o Thicknesse, b Paris 18 Lt. H. Brett, o Clapliam, b Winkworth 27 Lt. Haughton, o Watts, b Winkworth 97 Lt. Bunbury, o Clapham, b Winkworth ... 17 Major Chitty, et. Thicknesse, b Garnett ... 11 W. L. Wenser, not out A. R. Rayon and W. Curwen, id not bat. . Extras 6

Winkworth 13

Capt. Clapham, o Robinson, b Chitty ... 27 Capt. Garnett, c Braws, b Chitty 36 Lt. Paris, b Haughhton Lt. Bagnall lbw Hangton 6
Capt. Crawford, b Hanghton 15
Lt. Wiltchire c Chitty, b Weasor 40 Lt. Thicknesse o Elson, b Haughton ... Lt. Hitchcook not out Gr. Watts, not out Br. Winkworth and Gr. Goodall did not

> Extras.... 6 Bowling Analysis.

YORKS U. POLICE. The police met the Yorks in their first league match at Happy Valley on Saturday, and the new arrivals won by 25 runs, the scores being Yerk, 77; Police, 52.

OTHER CRICKET.

H.K.C.C. V. NAVY. The first match in the triangular league between the H.K.C.C., the Navy, and the Army was played on Saturday against the Navy. The Club won by two wickets and 169 runs. The naval team went to the wickets first, but the batsmen were unable to cope with the bowling of Bird, and the only man who made a respectable stand was Murray, who knocked together 35 before being caught. by Young. For the Club Pearce compiled 90, Turner 63 and Hancock 44. Six of the naval wickets fell to Bird for 64 runs, while Young took two for six runs. Annaheim took the eight civilian wickets for a total of 124. Scores and analyses follow :--

Paffard, e Elborough, b Bird....... 8 Cooke, b Bird 13 Priostley, c Turner, b Turner..... Rouquette, lbw Bird Wickham, c Sharpin, b Bird Dalrymple, a Elbozough, b Bird Annaheim, b Young Rogers, a and b Sharpin Godwing not out...... Bowling Analysis. Payne..... 11 Elborough, o Murray, b Annaheim Hancock, c Palyrmple, b Annaheim..... 44 H. Hancock, c Fisher, b Annaheim 0 Extras Bowling Analysis. Annaheim

THE PORTUGUESE REPUBLIC.

Paffard

THE GOVERNMENT AND QUEEN MARIA PIA

The Government at Lisbon has been studying the question of granting an anounity to the Downger Queen Maria Pin, and Count de Calboli, the Italian Minister in Lisbon, waited upon the Minister for Foreign Affairs last month desiring to know the Government's decision on this subject. The Portuguese Minister declared that the Government was ready to concede an annuity of £12,500, which is the same amount the Queen has always received from the Civil

It is reported that Queen Maria Pia has expressed a desire to return to Portugal, where she has resided for 40 years, and live in private. A great demonstration organized by the Republican leaders was held in Lisbon on the 10th ult. in order to express the thanks of the country to Great Britain, Germany, France. Italy, and Spain for resuming relations with the Government. A huge procession with bands and flags started from the Praca do Commercio and proceeded to the British, French, Germon, demonstrators carried lanterns, and the streets were further illuminated by the searchlights of the warships in the harbour.

Local politics have been very prominent this week also. The Governor, with his usual tact and courtesy, has sought to bring about a better understanding between the Sanitary Board and the Executive Council, and his attempt to show that the superior authority was not spimated by sheer contrariness has met with considerable success. It was cortainly appreciated by those who felt most aggrieved, and, after the explanation given, we may expect that the relations between the two bodies may become more happy. The Executive Council in the rôle of the House of Lords is likely to make the stalwarts of the Sanitary Board less Conservative than they once were, and the fear has been expressed that they may even blessom into Bocialists or some other "sgin the Government" ombination.

It was rather amusing to see the official and the unofficul attitude on the application of Sanitary Inspector for three months' leave to be granted him, so that he could immediately end his period of service in the Colony and become entitled to the pension which was considered his due. The un-officials naturally asked "what for?" but it was surprising to find the Registrar General on the same side. He might be expected to know what leave was wanted for. What does any man want leave for, eh? The higher placed officials can manage to get such leave when retiring. Why not the subordinate officials when the regulations of the service entitle them to it?

"in view of its close association with the that the case be tried before the Provincial British China Squadron, Hongkong has not Judge. The principal witness in the case was shown itself extraordinarily generous in con- a man called Ai, for whom a subposta was nection with the Bedford Relief Fund." I issued. He persistently refused to appear before would rather put it that the generosity of the the Court, and the case was postponed from ports of Yokohams, Kobe and Ngasaki has been | time to time. Acting Vicercy Tsang has now excessive. If a whole ship's crew had been given orders for the confiscation of Ai's properdrowned, they would probably not have done ty, and he is also to be deprived of his official more. I believe I am correct in saying that | rank. from the various ports in the Fast East over £1,000 has been contributed to the Relief Fund of which Hongkong has contributed £200.

When our railway develops into the important part of a grand trunk line linking us with the Continent of Europe, it will be understood that the farewells which are a common occurrence. on the steamers will take place at the terminal station at Kowloon. Imagine the tears, the fireworks, the doch an-dhorises-I hope that is the right way to spell it -which will be seen heard, and drunk at our little railway when a man leaves for Home. The waving and handkerchief display will not be so protracted as on the steamer, and the agony of farewell will be considerably curtailed. The management will not, I think, have to take the steps which are reported to be contemplated by the master of the Grand Central Station in New York who thinks that it would be advisable for the railway companies in their new plans to provide a kissing-room and require all osculation to be performed there, so that the concourse, doorways, platforms and gates be not congested by those who linger for the last goodby. How very practical these Americans are!

The cold weather of the past week led to occasional remarks that "it looked like snow." This recalls the time when a thin layer of snow was discovered on the Peak one morning about fifteen years ago, and the Chinese who had never seen such a sight before collected as much as they could to take it to their homes with the idea of using it for medicinal and other purposes. But their joy of possession did not last any longer than the snow.

Credit where credit is due! Two letters were returned last week to Hongkong which had not been delivered by the postal authorities in the places to which they were addressed, and without opening these the local officials used their intelligence to such good purpose that they discovered the writers with no other indication than the business stamp of the respective offices impressed on the postage stamp.

not so snobbish as Hongkong is supposed to be, but if the writer of "Letters of a Shanghai Griffia" is to be believed, the "clique" is just as well understood in the Northern Settlement as it is in some other places I wot To how many would the following description apply: "Her idea of social position was, of course, salary; and she kept on hand a thousand tael obeisance, a seven-fifty salute, a five hundred smile, and a three-fifty greeting, but never stocked anything cheaper than the latter, with the exception of her two-fifty-andunder-look-the-other-way, because she knew the horrors of fifteen shillings a-week herself, and resolved never to have anything more to do with oheapness."

We are getting accustomed to the disappearman or the new boy.

RODERICK RENDOM.

CANTON.

A FIENDISH MISTRESS. A woman named Loung living in Fatshau lost a pair of oar-rings, and accused a poor little mui tsai or slave girl of stealing them. The child said she know nothing of them, but the mistress would not believe her. She beat the child till the was half dead and then took an iron rod, heated it and with it soured the poor victim's flesh, giving her intelerable pain. The compensation for the wounds 'received. The mete out drastic punishment to women who are | may receive the money embezzled. guilty of such flondish conduct.

RAILWAY THIEVES. Many complaints have been made lately regarding the number of thefts from persons travelling on the railways. Nearly all Chinese prefer to travel 3rd class from motives of economy, and some of these have a good deal of money on them. Passengers are requested to put their baggage in the goods van, but this they rarely do, preferring to take it into the carriage with them, whence it often finds its way into the hands of the wily railway thick. The railway company is now about to employ a number of detectives who, it is to be hoped, will succeed in lessening the number of this kind of

MISSIONARIES AND OFFICIALS One of the European Consuls here has sent a dispatch to the Acting Viceroy urging him to take steps to secure the full protection of missionaries and their converts. The dispatch goes on to say that in some districts the people seem very hostile to the missionaries, and that those natives who have embraced the Christian faith suffer bad treatment, and the Consul complains that the local officers appear to do nothing to remedy this state of affairs. On receipt of the dispatch H.E. Tsang immediately notified the magistrates of the districts referred to, to the effect that all missionaries and converts are to receive full protection;

A STEANGE PROCEEDING. Some time ago Taolai Lau who is in charge of the Kwong Tung Cement Works accused one of the staff named Tung of dishonesty, A Yokohama contemporary is of opinion that by "squeeze." The late Viceroy Yuen ordered

> SIGNALLING ON WARSHIPS. Admiral Li is now devoting his attention to

the subject of signalling by means of flags on warships. He has given orders that all warships under his charge are to be provided with full outfils of flags, and fast a school of signalling is to be immediately established.

POLICE AND PUBLIC. Some little time ago there was a riot in Kong Moon and the police fired on the crowd with the result that one or two were killed and several injured. This action on the part of the police has caused a good deal of excitement in the loc ality, and the most influential mon in the place have sent in memorials to the Canton authorit. ies asking for redress. Itlis now stated that the police have compensated the families of the deceased with the munificent sum of twenty taels, while those who were only wounded received ten. In commenting on this one of the vernacular papers bitterly remarks on the cheapness of native life. If a foreigner, says this journal, is killed, indemnity to the amount of thousands of dollars has to be paid. Why, therefore, asks the paper, should the life of a native be of such little value? Also it further proceeds to say tha had the rioters killed a policeman or a soldier not even a fowl or a dog in the district would

have known peace for weeks.

A BAILWAY BRIDGE. The Shek Lung branch of the Chamber of Commerce have been making a fuss about bridge on the Canton and Kowloon Railway. They say it is too low to allow, vessels to pass under it, and they are clamouring for its immediate demolition. The Acting Vicercy has replied that the question of the bridge is already | under consideration and he calls upon the men of Shek Lung to keep quiet during the negotiations, and to do nothing that will disturb the public peace.

A NEW TITLE. The Provincial Judge is no longer to known by that title; henceforth he is to styled the Provincial Law Commissioner. Important changes are to be made in the personnel of his staff. Several persons are to be dismissed and more competent ones appointed. working of the judicial department and the Vicercy has expressed his approval of the new

ALLEGED DISHONESTY. A rather strange story is being told here, although efforts are being made to keep the affairs as secret as possible. It appears that in one of the Government Schools in this city there had been a series of thefts and that the servents had been blamed. They were intensely angry and excited, and made up their minds to discover the thief. Several weeks passed awar, but no one was caught and still from time to time fresh thefts took place. One day when the bell rang for assembly some of the servants who had secreted themselves saw one of the musters leave his room and force open the door of acol-European coat does not help us to like the new league's room and enter. An alarm was at once raised and the master endeavoured to dart back to his own room, but was prevented.

meeting of the scholars and teachers was then called, and after some discussion had taken place the teacher was suspended and next day. discharged. It is considered more than p dinarily disgraceful for a teacher to be concerned in such an affair, hence the efforts being made to hush the matter up. DISHONEST OFFICERS.

Lam were convicted of embezzlement. The and the precise foreign mind has naturally former was found to have made away with 7,700 conjured up a vision of something immovable thels and the latter with 1,400. They were such as the fixed stars or the laws of the Medes dismissed their posts, ordered to return to their and Persians. Newspaper readers will often news reached the girl's parents, who came with native villages and to refund the money come across such statements as the Governa large number of friends to demand the Months have passed away and not a cent has ment's fixed policy in Manchuric, in Chosen and restoration of the girl, together with 825 been repaid by either. Now commands have in regard to loans and other things of national been sent to the magistrates of the districts importance. This phrase has only come into threatening attitude of the girl's people in which these men reside to ascertain if use since the war, and it recalls another frightened the mistress and she promptly did as they have any property and if so to at once having a very different meaning, which was requested. It is a pity that the officials do not confiscate it in order that the government more frequently used formerly than

MORE SUBSCRIPTION GRIFFINS

Another batch of subscription griffins arrived They were landed at the Douglas wharf and removed to Kennedy's Horse Repository, where they were drawn for in the afternoon, the result of the drawing being as follows :--

No. 22 ... Mr. J. R. Boyce. Mr. T. Withoroote Mr. J. N. Macedy. Mr. E. C. Mackie. Mr. Canningham. Liout. C. Brown. Mr. F. F. H. Bisson Lieut, Leygute. Mr. W. Dixon. Captain Brierley. liout. Kirkpatrick Lieut. Chater. Captain Hughes. lieut, Alton. Messrs, Klimanek Captain Mitchell-Taylor Mr. C. H. Ross. Lieut. Hoygate. Mr. H. B. Pike. Major Eaton and Mr. F. Hough. Mr. J. Johnstone. Hon, Mr. H. Keswick.

> FUNERAL OF MRS. TANG SHAO YI.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Tang Shao-yi.

wife of the President of the Min'stry of Posts and Communications, which took place in Tientsin on Wednesday morning, November 30, was one never to be forgotten by those who witnessed it. There were present none of the usual bands of half clad, dirty musicians, no gorgeous scrolls, no paper figures, and no professional mourners. A posse of Police led the procession, followed by hundreds of persons friends of the family dressed in officia robes. Then walked the mourners. was His Excellency for whom the greatest sympathy was felt. Lastly, came the catafalque containing the coffin beneath, which was in many respects unique in its appearance, for slong the central beam on the top was dressed the picturesque figure of a dragon, as befitted a lady of the first rank Over a hundred well-attired coolies took their turns in carrying the coffin. The cortege was announcement just made that the Government altogether a most imposing sight, because in place of the noisy and numberless paraphernalia usually accompanying a funeral in this country, one saw the quiet dignity and true sorrow policy formally decided upon some years which should always attend ceremonies of this kind. At different parts of the route along the Viceroy Road and Ta Ha Tung. temporary stations had been erected where various sections of the community paid their indicating as it did Japan's advance in the lest respects to the dead. The coffin reached the Bund about noon, where it was at once transferred to the China Merchants' steamer "Hein Feng" en route for Shanghai. Never. perhaps, in the history of Tientsin had a funeral | foreigners also, who desire to see the country procession been so arranged or attended by so making steady headway and who believe in the many friends and officials of all grades. It was acknowledged on all sides that H.E. Tang had

DRASTIC PLAGUE MEASURES AT

HARBIN.

Peking Daily News.

The following paragraphs are extracted from

The culpable inefficiency of the Chinese authorities at Puchistien, the half-hearted attempts to check the spread of the plague in that town having disgusted the Russian author to task for not ensuring better results, as if the rities of Harbin, who offered the service of some medical experts to assist the former in the preventive measures, the latter have withdrawn the medical assistance from the Chinese quarter tion upon Japan that she cannot do what other and will resort to the extreme measure of nations much older and more experienced can do. isolating the infected town from Earbin by means of military force. The Japanese residents of Puchiation have removed to Harbin bag and

The Bussian Consul at Chanchun has made a they criticise the Government for its change statement in vigorous denial of the reports circulated to the effect that the Chinese Eastern Railway has been dumping at Changohun hordes of Chinese coolies coming from the plague-infected districts of North Manchuria without even allowing them to get off the cars at Harbin or any other intermediate station and. in some instances, on free fares for the whole or part of the journey. The Russian official say that the declares that, on the contrary, the Harkin warships, the Tsukuba, Ikoma, I had always thought that Shanghai was There are several new regulations also for the authorities baving at heart the sanitary well-be. Ake and others do not compare favourwith the infected regions, and have stationed ably with those in Europe. The defects quarantine officers at three points between of these vessels, it may be pointed out, have long Harbin and Kwanchengtzu since the outbreak been the subject of discussion among foreign of the epidemic at Pachiatien and has further established at Kwanchengtze arrangements for the isolation and treatment of the infected naval matters. At the time of the launching

people, if any. From the issue of the paper for December

3rd we take the following :-North Manchuria has so far claimed altogether 414 including 9 Russians have succumbed.

day, the 1st.

The Committee for the prevention of Epidewith the plague.

NOTES FROM JAPAN.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT. Toxyo, Nov. 23rd.

FIXED STARS AND FIXED POLICY.

In the last few years we have become acoustomed in Japan to Pross references to the Some time ago two officers named Chan and Government's "fixed policy" in this or that, is to-day, namely, Japan's "transition stage," a phrase common with writers and used to indicate the last fifty years of change and hurry that have characterised the remarkable progress of the country. Presumably the war brought this period to a close and gave birth to the Fixed from Shanghai by the s.s. Chinhua yesterday. Policy Era-but we are still in a period of

> GOVERNMENT POLICY RECONSIDERED. In the past few weeks the representatives of the Government have announced changes in future policy which amount to the abandon mer of more than one item of Fixed Policy. These announcements have aroused the Press and in some measure discredited the Ministry. The first surprise came a few weeks ago when Marquis Katsura, Premier and Minister of Finance have been the result of the Angle-Japanese indicated the probability of the Govern steel enterprise in Hokkaide. ment's going abroad for loans, an act which would nullify the supposed advantage gained by the annual redemption of the National Debt to the extent of fifty million yen. The loan it is proposed to raise will be used in connection with the widening of the gauge of the trunk line between Tokyo and Shimoneseki and £25,000,000 sterling is stated to be the sum required, the security for which would be the railways of the country. It will former dictator) and his colleagues. be remembered that about seven years ago, when most of the lines - were privately owned, an Australian financier, the late Sir Mulcolm MacEachern, visited Japan with the precise object of arranging for a huge lean to the Sanyo Railway Co., the most enterprising in the country, but after his inspection of the lines the negotiations fell through, the supposition at the time being that the property generally was inferior. It was shortly afterwards that this railway and others were nationalised, and some years later the railway finances were placed in a separate account with the object at some future date of raising a great loan for their improvement. Hence the forthcoming railway loan cannot be considered a new idea of the Government, nor does the Government consider it, strictly speaking, a national loan. THE SECOND SURPRISE

The Japanese people have lately become accustomed to surprising varieties in Government policy, national and local, but nothing has been received with greater interest than the has placed an order for a Dreadnought-cruiser with a British firm. This is a negation of the fago to build all future warships in Japanese yards, a policy which naturally caused intense satisfaction throughout the country, more serious arts and crafts which she has faction, and not only pleased the Japanese but amounted to 2,000 tons of coal. capacity of the people. But the frankannouncemade a departure from the usual custom. - ment of the naval authorities and the comments of the Japanese Press, show that Japan is not yet sufficiently advanced to rely upon her own naval architects and builders and to be independent of foreign assistance. To anybody who understands the Japanese people and has followed their recent the Manchurian Daily News (Dairon) of Novem- progress closely, such an announcement can cause no surprise. But a portion of the Press shows itself disappointed that Japan is still behind other nations, and takes the Government Government has it in its power to ensure the capacity for invention, or as if it were a reflec-

> PRESS OPINION IN BRIEF. Most of the papers approve of the placing of a Dreadnought cruiser in England, although of policy and endeavour to ascertain the causes of such a step. The Tokyo Asahi considers the order an acknowledgement of Japan's inferiority in naval construction and regrets that she is still behind Europe in every branch of Asahi then goes on Japanese-built first-class naval attachés and others acquainted with

of the Satsuma in 1906 the doubts which prevailed among the foreign community in regard to Japan's capacity to build firsttion, Harbin, has announced that the plague in class warships were well illustrated in the huge amount of money that was wagered against 8th inst. 425 victims including 14 Russians, of whom the successful launch of the vessel at Yokosuka. The launch was in every respect successful, it is Chinese taking passage at Changehun on any believed, and it is estimated that 150,000 yen north-bound passenger train, except on goods changed hands in Yokohama on that day, but trains. This has come into force since Thurs- it may be accepted, therefore, and without any particular discredit to Japan, that the doubts mics, St. Petersburg, has declared all Manchuria which have always been entertained in regard and the regions about Lake Baikal to be infected to shipbuilding capacity are now confirmed by the tacit admission of the Government.

A SOP TO BRITISH SUSCEPTIBILITY? Most people, on hearing of the placing of this order in England, sought a molive, and knowing Japan's desire to build all her ships herself, put it down to an attempt to smooth away the considerable amount of ill-feeling caused in England by the new Tariff. This is the view taken by another Tokyo journal, "the Mainich Dempo. There is a decided feeling in this country that the Government has blundered in respect

to it Tariff. The outery that has been raised in Lancashire and Yorkshire was never anticipated. nor was it anticipated that the energetic protests of a few chambers of commerce in the industrial centres of the North would more the Imperial Japanese Government. That this order should be attributed rather to politics than necessity is another example of the good luck which attends Japan in her forward career. But there is mother possible reason for the giving of the order, and that may be described as politico-commercial, having close connection with the affairs of the Steel Foundry at Muroran, with which the firm of Vickers & Armstrong is closely related. Therehas been a great deal of friction between the English and Japanese directorate of this new undertaking in Hokkaido, and as usual the trouble has arisen out of the Japanese desire to manage things in their own way, regardless of the superior knowledge of more experienced people. Perhaps the correct view to take of this naval surprise is that it is given to England, firstly, because England can execute the order better than Japan; secondly, to smooth the ruffled feelings of the English manufacturers; and thirdly, to still the stormy waters which

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

FROM SOUTHERN PAPERS

PORTUGUESE EMPUBLIC.

Lisbon, November 13th. The Republican Government has declared an amnesty which includes Senhor Franco (the

AEBONAUTICS .- THE DENVER FATALITY. London, November 18th. The death of Mr. Raiph Johnstone was

horrible. Something broke, causing the wings of the aeroplane to fold up. Mr. Johnstone struggled his atmost to stretch them out again but in vain. He fell like a lump of lead, every bone in his body being broken. A crowd of souvenir hunters rushed to the spot

and fought for relies, one extracting a splinter which was piercing the body and dripping with blood, while others tore the gloves from Mr. Johnstone's hands. SENSATIONAL AMERICAN CUSTOMS CASE.

London, November, 23rd. The United States District Court has with-

drawn the attachment of the stock of Messrs. Brooke & Co., holding it to be illegal unless process were served on the defendants, who are n England.

> OBITUARY. London, November 23rd.

The death is announced of Mr. C. T. R. Scovell, P.W.D., who fell overboard from his yacht in the Channel yesterday, and was drown-

The death is also announced of Mr. Seton Karr, Foreign Secretary during the Viceroyalties of Sir John Lawrence and Lord Mayo, SUSPECTED DISASTER TO A NEW B. I. STEAMER.

London, November 23rd. The Times states that it is feared that the British India liner, the "Abbona," on her maiden trip to Rangoon, has been sunk off the coast of Spain. There were no passengers on

The B. I. steamer "Abhona" carried a crew of ninety, of whom thirteen are believed to be learned from the West. It was a real satis- white men. It is stated that her cargo only

OXFORD AND GREEK. London, November 23rd

The Congregation of Oxford has rejected by 188 votes to 152 the proposed statute abelishing Greek as a compulsory subject in responsions. NEW FLYING RECORD.

London, November 25th, Mr. Drezel, the American airman, at Philadelphia, rose to a height of 9,970 feet in his monoplane, establishing a record.

WEATHER REPORT.

On the 11th at 12.55 a.m. -The anticyc onic area lying over the continent has strengthened, and pressure has increased moderately over China and Japan. Pressure remains low over the Pacific to the

N.E. of Japan, and relatively so over the S. Philippines and adjacent waters. Strong monsoon will continue to prevail alon the China coast and over the N. p rt of the China Ses. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending

at 10 a.m. to day, 0.00 inches. The forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon to-day is as follows :---

Hongkong & Neighbourhood fresh; or strong fair, cloudy. Formesz Channel to South coast of China between | Same as No. I Hongkong and Lamocks. South coast of China between | Same as No. 2

Hongkon ; and Hainan

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and is due here on or about 15th prox. The Silk ex R.M.S. Monteagle, which left here on the 8th ult., arrived at New York on

The sudden death is announced of Sir George S. Mackenzie, K.C.M.G., C.B., who, as a director of the British-India Steam Navigation Company and of the Imperial Bank of Persia, helped to control important undertakings in the East. It may be recalled that his first wife was a daughter of the late Major W. C. Armstrong, another of whose daughters is married to the British Ambassador to Japan.

SIR, E. SATOW ON MISSIONARIES IN CHINA.

Speaking at an S.P.G. meeting at Plymouth on Monday Sir Ernest Satow, formerly British Minister in Peking, replied to some criticisms passed by Sir Hiram Maxim upon missionaries in China. Sir Ernest Satow saidha had known intimately many of the leading missionaries-British, Canadian, American, and French-and had had large opportunities of seeing what their work was and how devotedly and unselfishly it was pursued and with what magnificent results. He did not know that Sir Hiram Maxim had had any personal acquaintance with missionaries or any first-hand knowledge of their course o life. Not a single English missionary had ever been reported to have looted Chinese property at Poking at the time of the siege of the



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Silk and Valuables, all cargo for France and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and Lon on, other cargo for Liondon, &c., will be conveyed via Bombay by the R.M.S. "HIMALAYA" due in London on the 4th February, 1911.

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E. A. HEWETT Superintendent. Hong kong, 12th December, 1910. SOCIETA ANONIMA NAZIONALE DI

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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'ISCHIA,' having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of cargo by her are horaby_informed_that their. Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Perishable Goods to be taken dolivery of immediately.

All Claims must be sent to the Office of the undersigned before Noon on the 19th instant, or they will not be recognised.

All Claims must be presented within ten days of the steamer's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognised. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 16th inst. will be subject

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General Managers: St. George's Building, Hongkong, 16th November, 1910. - [1290

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1621/1720 26-100 27—100 and dated 2nd March, 1910, have been LOST or DESTROYED; and Notice is Hereby Given that if within 30 days from the Date hereof no claim or representation in respect of such Original Certificates is made to the General Managers they will then proceed to deal with such application for a Duplicate.

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NOTICE OF FIRM

NOTICE.

HE Undersigned, CHAN MUI SAN, who, for more than forty years, was Partner in and Manager of The SUN SHING Firm of No. 90. Queen's Road Central, has now Retired from all connection with the said Firm and has Opened his Own House at No. 23, Stanley Street, where he is Transacting Business in the same lines as formerly.

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PATOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that LEUNG WAN KWAI, the Executor of the above mentioned LEUNG PIK SHAN, otherwise LEUNG FAT Kwong, died upon the 12th day of November last, and that during his life time he drew from the Estate of the said LEUNG PIK SHAN, etherwise Leung-Fat Kwong, a larger sum of money than was due to him and his two sons Leung Fat and Leung Hang, from the said Estato.

This matter has now been carefully enquired into by the undersigned Leung Tsor Shi, the Widow of the said LEUNG WAN KAI, the Mother and Guardian of the said Leung Fal and LEUNG HANG, and by the undersigned LEUNG SHER SHI, the Executrix of LEUNG PIK SHAN, otherwise LEUNG FAT KWONG, and at the request of the undersigned LEUNG-SHEK Shi she, the said Leung Tsot Shi, has This Day granted a formal release releasing the undersigned Leung Shek Shi from all claims by the legal representative of the said LEUNG WAN KWAI and by her said children, Leung FAI and LEUNG HANG, who are at the present time under the age of twenty-one years.

This Notice is formally given to inform the Public that neither the undersigned LEUNG TSOI SHI HOP LEUNG FAI nor LEUNG HANG have now any further claims whatever against the Estate of LEUNG PIK SHAN, otherwise LEUNG FAT KWONG, deceased.

Witness --YAM-KWAN-UN,

LEUNG × TSOL SHI LEUNG × SHEK SHI

Hongkong, the 9th day of December, 1910.

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HE Undersigned have received instructions from J. HENNESSEY SETH, Esq., Official Liquidator, to Sell by Public Auction, TO DAY (MONDAY), the 12th December, 1910, at 2.30 r.m., at No. 63,

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Hongkong, 12th September, 1910. [1233

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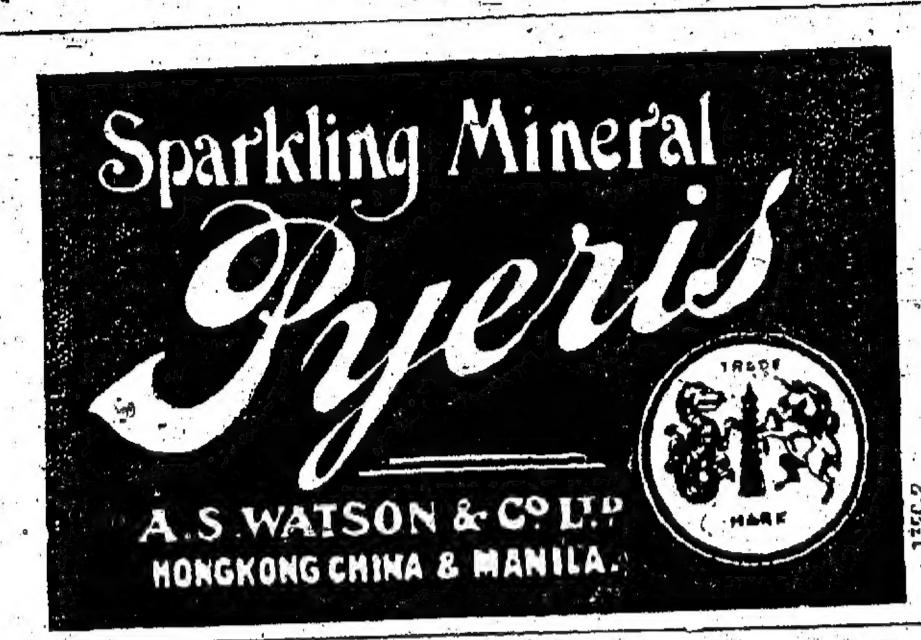
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mediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before NOON TO-DAY requesting it to be landed

Bills of Loding will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after the 12th instant at Noon will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me su or before the 13th December, or they will not be recognized. All damaged packages will be examined on the 12th December at 3 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

P. THOMAS Hongkong, 5th December, 1910.

THE BANK LINE, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMSHIP "REDHILL."

FROM SEATTLE, VANCOUVER, VIC TORIA, YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

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DODWELL & Co., LTD., Agents. Hongkong, 8th December, 1910.

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people who are not present. THE SCHOOL'S PROGRESS.

We hope that newspapers will again favour us

as they have done in the past with a full report

of this function. I must therefore ask your

kind indulgence, for much of what I now read

to you is of little local interest and more concerns

This is the tenth year of the School's history, and we have occupied this house since January 1904. At our last Prize Distribution we numto-day we have on our books the names of 55 boarders, and we subsequently constructed extra rooms to receive the overflow from our two large dormitories. If the pressure continues we shall probably have to make a more substantial addition to the school house next year. So far as mere numbers go, therefore, we have every reason for gratification.

EXAMINATION RESULTS.

I think, too, we have a right to contend that educationally our pupils compare favourably with those at the average English School-except, perhaps, in one particular to which will refer later. We have from time time submitted candidates to the indepen dent tests of a public examination with, think, satisfactory rosults. This year we entered 18 candidates for the College of Preceptors' examinations, who all passed. Eight of these took the "Lower Forms examination, and are not entitled to "honours" certificates, or to "distinctions", though several did very well, obtaining as much as 90 and per cent of the marks in cortain subjects. Eight others took the "third class" papers, securing between them thirteen "distinctions" and three "honours" certificates. The two remaining boys took the "2nd class" or "Junior examination. Unfortunately our most promising candidate in this group was prevented from returning from the Easter Vacation by illness, and, though entered, was unable to for the examination. You will. I think agr with me that these results are satisfactory, not particularly brilliant (cheers).

PREPARATORY EDUCATION.

This school is becoming more and a preparatory school. We have latterly declined to admit boys over fourteen, and it is well understood that if older bays stay on here, it is a concession depending on good character, and that no "senior" can remain here if discovered exerting a prejudicial influence on smaller boys. I anticipate that most of our pupils will in future go from us to finish their schooling in England, and this year we have sent seven. It is gratifying to us to learn of one and another of our "old boys' who are doing us credit in schools at home. E.G. Grimble of Hongkong, passed from this school into Framlingham College. His father recently telegraphed me particulars of his son's success. Grimble in his last year at school was first in Music and in German in the Sixth Form. In the Senior Cambridge Examination he took "honours", and in music was placed first among all the boy candidates of the British Isles. He was captain of the as imming bath, winning four prizes!—a member of the first teams in cricket and in football-and a prefect of the school. It will be readily admitted that this is a good all-round record (cheers). Of another "old boy," W.J. Manthei, the Headmaster, of Shoreham Grammar School writes -" He is making excellent progress as will be seen from his position (Form V. since beginning of term-first and subsequent weeks): -1st, 3rd, 2ad, 3rd, 1st, 1st, 1st, 1st, 2nd. If he continues to the aid of the year we shall have a host of 'distinctions' in the Xmas Examinations." (cheers), B. C. Dening of Sendai, Japan, after leaving us for Crediton Grammar School, passed the Junior Cambridge Examination most creditably, being placed fourth in German among all his competitors in the British Isles (cheers). We may fairly claim that these boys not only do themselves great credit, but conclusively prove that, given satisfactory climatio conditions, as obtain at Wei-hai-wei, & sound preparatory education is quite possible in the Far East

THE STAFF.

A school is something of a machine, where working of the whole may be seriously affected by defects in a part; and I am-in view of our school's success—under the greater obligation to give public acknowledgment and thanks to the members of the Staff-to Mrs. Hamblin, who has now been here nearly five years, for her help in the domestic department and her care of us when we fall sick (cheers) - to Miss Mallyon for her patient endeavours with the smaller boys, and her ready assistance in other directions when the need arises (cheers); to my colleagues, Mr. Craddock and Mr. Harvie (cheers) for their loyal and cordial support in the School and class room.

OUT DOOR LIFE.

True education is not one-sided, and, while we may chronicle success and progress in our studies, we have also to record development in our outdoor life. Our "boy-scouts" are still going strong, and I have pleasure in announcing that our school troop has been formally enrolled as an active unit at headquarters. Our Scoutmoster, Mr. Craddock, has also recently received his "wirrant" from General Baden-Powell. The Scouts have been divided into four patrols. "Talcons." Each patrol consists of seven "Seniors" with a group of "Juniors" attached. The latter go through a probationary stage, and become "Seniors" on passing certain tests. During the Easter Vacation our scouts went into camp for several days under their Ecout-Master, Mr. Harvie discharging the duties of ischools of England, has not spread far, is not realchaplain to the Troop. His Honour, the Com- ly as serious as the writer states, and that there missioner, paid a visit of inspection to the camp, is still a large number of schools and schooland expressed himself as pleased with what he masters that have not bowed the knee to Boal, saw. On that occasion he kindly offered a prize | that refuse to worship at the shrine of luxury. to the best all-round scout. Unfortunately the If there be any doubt as to the state of affairs at recent bad weather has prevented our completing Home, there can be no two opinions as to the the tests for this prize. We have to thank | conditions that prevail in the East, which of Inspector Crudge for kindly acting as judge course, react on education and on school life.

and examiner in the competition for the Commissioner's prize. The School Cadet Corps has been combined with the Scout one now makes and the strictures one passes, troop, and those boys who are big enough apply to all or even to the majority of homes in to handle rifles have farget practice with an the East, but I have no hositation in sayingannual shooting competition. In the competition with the experience behind me of some fourteen at the end of last year. E. G. Lammert proved years as a schoolmaster in this part of the world himself the best shot, W. J. Manthei and J. -that the evil flourishes here to a greater de-Roche tied for the second place. The names of gree than at home, and that from the point of these boys have been inscribed on the shield view of the educator the consequences are most

encouraging marksmanship (Cheers.) features of out door life at this school, and we is so abundant and cheap it is easy and convenient have to record that five boys, A. B. Bertram, A. C. to turn the "young master" over to amahs, maroos Brockman, A. H. Mancell, J. Meugens, and and coolies. He is too often from his earliest days, J. Roche - swam from the beach below us petted, self-indulged, undisciplined. The class to the Island this summer, a distance of some of people from which servants are drawn has-3000 yds, which may be described as a credit- from the Europeaan standpoint - a low standard able feat. (Cheers).

boy is removed from school for a day, or two, or "fears not God neither regards man". 1

care of us when we have been sick.

A SCHOOL FOR GIBLS. .

We have long felt the need of a school at Wei- we are not concerned at present with the hai-wei for the daughters of Europeans, which exception. could be worked in conjunction with this school; and I have pleasure in announcing that there seems reasonable prospect of the founding of such a school shortly under the manage nent of two ladies from England, who have had considerable educational experience.

THE PRIZES.

the school is divided into five forms, and each we can point to a number of old boys who have form receives two prizes. The "dux prize" gone out into the world directly from this goes to the top boy, and an "improvement school and are doing us credit, still the proporprize" to that boy, other than the first boy, tion of those whom we call "failures," who are who shows most all-round progress-generally, making shipwreck of their lives, is too large,

but not necessarily the second boy. school to the boy whose influence and general English school. Assuming-and surely it is an conduct is considered best. We have a system obvious assumption—that parents on the one of proportionate voting where the higher a boy hand, and schools and masters on the other, are at is in the school, the greater value is attached to one in their object—however, much we may differ his vote. This year the winner of the medal has as to methods; and that we all seek the same received more than twice as many votes as the results, viz., the production of boys and yeang next on the list.

THE BCHOOLMASTER'S PROFESSION.

Early in September an article appeared in the Times from a public schoolmaster entitled. "Why Public Schools fail." I wish that article could appear in extenso, in every newspaper in the Far East. it contains a paragraph which, with your permission, I will quote, as it bears on a subject into which I went fully last Prize Day, viz, the standing and prospects of the schoolmester :--

"Apart from the general disesteem under which, by a singular infelicity of human judgment, schoolmasters have in all ages laboured, and which might be illustrated by a thousand anecdotes, the profession to day holds out the poorest prospects. There are indeed ten or twelve head-masterships which offer to anyone who will take Orders, an easy path to what the world calls success, while at just one or two schools an assistant master may even acquire wealth; but for the great mass of men there is almost no hope. A boy requires to be taught by men who are themselves full of push, energy and resource; but men of this sort refuse to become schoolmasters, or, if they do so, find that exactly those qualities, which in every other calling are most highly prized, secure for the teacher neither honour nor reward The Sanhedrin never encouraged prophets, and the Headmasters' Conference really exists to repress innovators."

TENDENCY TO LUXURY.

The article also contains a reference to a growing tendency, according to the writer, among the educated classes of England toward love of ease and luxury, and its effects on school life. It is to this para raph that I wish to draw more particular attention. It reads :--

"Our upper classes are becoming intolerant of austerity, and education is, one thinks, losing that touch of sternness without which it can never remain sound and healthy. In. creating wealth brings with it, as ever, inoreasing luxury and softness, while cossetting and coddling, the study of clincial thermometers and the diagnosis of dyspepsia are coming to be counted virtues in a school-

Looking back on my own school days and my experience as a master in English schools, I cannot but think that the evil, as regards the

THE SPOILT OHILD.

It must not be understood that the complaints presented to the school with the object of serious. We get into the way of living too luxuriously in the East, and in too many instances. Sea bathing and swimming are important children are brought up too softly. Where labour of morals; and it is not to be wondered at if a shild fails to acquire the most elementary ideas as to the difference between truth Comparing notes with schoolmasters in and falsehood, honesty and dishonesty. A parent England, I find our health record of the past who allows his son to be brought up, even to a ten years is certainly as good, if not better, than limited extent under such influences, may conin the average English school of the same size. gratulate himself if the child has not acquired We have been remarkably free from the even worse tendencies, if the foundations of a infectious diseases which are rather common at vicious character and an evil life ere not laid home. In the past (on years we have had one almost by the time the boy leaves the nursery. epidemic of chickenpox, when eight boys took Such a child generally knows nothing of the the infection, two isolated cases of measles, two command, "Honour thy father and thy of diphtheria, one of pneumonia; but no scarlet mother," for there has been a sad lack of the fover, no scarletina, no whooping cough. On "touch of sternness" in his early training. He the other hand we are more liable to contract frequently recognises no will but his own, and, some diseases which rarely occur in English amazing as it seems, I can furnish in re than schools, and of these the most troublesome is one instance of a boy being formally entered at dyeentry. This disease has been unusually rife this school who has refused to go; -instances, all ever the China coast this summer, and there | where in the contest of wills between parent and have been three cases in the school. We find child the "young master" has triumphed; and it is most amenable to treatment in the curliest I was once a speciator at another such scene stages, but it means that a boy-is deprived of shere a child of eight attacked his mother with pupils. This house was built to accommodate 40 sea bathing; he probably has to go to bed for a knife in his hand. When a boy of this type: several days, when, perhaps, he is not feeling can be persuaded to go to school he, as often as particularly unwell; and -more dreadful still not, becomes a passive resister with a wonderful from a boy's point of view-all "tuck," all solid repertoirs of "yarns" as to his ill-treatment at food censes, and he is fed on slops. Under the school, and is usually able to persuade his circumstances, it is a temptation to a boy to parents to move him from school to school make light of and to conceal the first symptoms, in fairly rapid succession - in fact, a and occasionally to his and our cost the tempta- most unsatisfactory type of pupil, and far tion has proved too strong. In illnesses of this too common in the East. Sometimes it kind it is almost invariably the case that there is happens that a boy is not freed-from some definite origin and cause—over indulgance infancy to manhood from the debasing in "tuck," some improper food, exposure and chill; and degenerating influence of constant and after too much sea bathing. As often as continuous intercourse with native servants. not an attack of this disease follows an invitation It is not to be wondered at if the usual result to visit friends at the hotel, or elsewhere. A is the production of a type of young man who perhaps only for a few hours, and is allowed to is difficult to speak with mederation of the indulge his fancy. To invite a boy out during disastrons results that may follow, and do follow the hot weather with the object of giving him a the thoughtless carelessness with which pe ple treat' is, of course, intended for an act of kind- leave the care of their children - almost entirely ness, but, from our point of view, it can to __to natives, especially men servants. It would mistaken kindness for which we may be asked be charitable to assume, perhaps, that this to pay's heavy price. On the other hand we neglect of what would be considered in most find that those boys who have not the facility of English homes a parent's obvious duty, is due self indulgence, who have to be content with sometimes to ignorance of the possible dire school fare and regular routine, rarely contract | consequences, but it is to be feared that in many this or any similar complaint. People come cases the real reason is a disinclination to take here for a summer holiday with the intention of trouble, and a love of ease. Even when a boy is enjoying themselves, and sometimes get ill. We carefully and strictly trained, when the parent then hear complaints of the unhealthiness of the does seek to do his duty, as I am glad to think place, impurity of water, etc., when probably is the case in many European homes in the East, if the truth were known the patient has himself | the influences and the examples of Eastern life, only to blame. I ought to give expression here its love of ease, of softness, of pleasure, cannot to our thanks and our sense of obligation to Dr. | be entirely checked, and I am reluctantly drives Must for his kind professional attention and to the general conclusion that it is almost impossible to obtain really satisfactory results with the average boy over fifteen. There are of course, exceptions - I hope a great many-but

ADVICE TO PARENTS.

If it is not possible to let a boy finish his schooling at some English or Scotch school, then he should at least go home for a year or two, before entering a business or an office in this part of the world, for life in the East is too soft, too energating; a lad does not learn in his youth to "endure As regards the prizes, I should explain that hardness"; and we frankly admit that though and does not compare favourably, in my opinion, The Conduct Medal goes by the votes of the with the results of education in the average men, not only well qualified in learning and in physical development to take their place in society and in the world, but strong in character and well supplied with moral backbone; venture to offer some practical advice :--

Don't leave a child more than can possibly be helped to the care of native servants.

Don't hesitate to import a "touch of sternness" into home discipline in dealing with early tendencies to ways of deceit and crookedness. Don't fill a small boy's pocket with dollars

which he can waste on self-indulgence. Don't give him a bicycle, watch or other expensive present, till be has done well enough to deserve and to earn it and has outgrown the desire to take it to pieces. When he goes to school don't give him

more than a dollar a month in pocket-money, while he is under fourteen, with an occasional extra dollar on special occasions. Don't send him more than one parcel of

tuck in term, and that only if school reports are satisfactory. Don't let him regard gifts and privileges as his by right, but rather to be earned by

good conduct and good work. Don't let him dream for one moment that parent and schoolmaster are not in agreement as to all details of school routine and

discipline. Don't-if it can possibly be helped-let him finish his education in the East. For may we not well ask, What shall it profit

a boy if he gain all learning and fail to acquire character. (Cheers.) (Continued on Page 7.)



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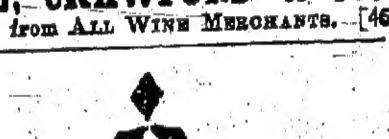
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THE INDIAN MAIL. . The Apear str. Lightning from Calcutta left Singapore on the 5th inst., and may be expected here to day.

The Indo-China sir. Kutsang from Calcutta and the Straits left Singapore for this port on The Indo-China str. Laisang left Calculta for

the Straits and Hongkong on the 1st inst., and is due here about the 17th instant. THE GERMAN MAIL The I.G.M. str. Goeben, carrying the German

Mails with dates from Berlin of the 16th ult. left Singapore on the 10th inst, at 10 a.m., and may be expected here on or about the 14th inst., at night. THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The C.P.R. Co.'s str. Empress of China left Vancouver on the 1st inst. p.m. for Hongkong via usual ports of call. THE AUSTRALIAN MAIL.

The E. & A. str. Aldenham, left Sydney on the 3rd inst. for this port, via Queonsland Ports and Manils.

The N.Y.K. str. Nikko Maru (Australian. Line) left Thursday Island for this port via Manila on the 8th instant, and is expected here on the 19th instant.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The P. M. S.S. Co. str. Siberia sailed from San Francisco on the 29th ultimo for Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Manila, and is due to arrive at Hongkong on the 30th instant. The P. M. S.S. Co. str. China sailed from

San Francisco on the 6th instant en gonte to Hongkong, vin Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, being due to arrive at this port on the 3rd prox. MERCHANT STEAMERS.

The "Shire" Line str. Pembrokeshire from London, left Singapore for Hongkong on the 4th instant afternoon, and may be expected to arrive here to-day.

The North German Lloyd str. Borneo left expected here to day, The N.Y.K. str. Ceylon Maru (Bombay Line) left Singapore for this port on the 5th instant.

and is expected here to-day. The Danish str. Siam left Sabang on the 1st inst., and may be expected here to-morrow.

The American Asiatic S.S. Co.'s str. Indradeo left Singapore on the 7th inst., and is due here te-morrow p.m.: The H.-A. Linie str. Scandia left Singapore

on the 7th instant, at noon, and may be expected here on or about the 14th instant. The O.S.K. str. Scattle Mara from Tacoma, arrived at Yokohama on the 1st instant, and is expected to arrive here on or about the 18th

instant, via Manila. The T.K.K. str. Nippon Maru sails from San Francisco on the 22nd ultimo, for Hongkong, via Honolulu, Yokehama, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, and is due to arrive at this port on the 20th instant.

The O.S.K. str. Mexico Maru left Tacoma for this port on the 26th ultimo, and is expooted to arrive here on or about the 29th instant, via Japan and Shanghai. The American & Manchuria Line's str. Kioto

left New York on the 10th ult.. and is due here on oz about the 1st prox. The str. Glenlochy left London on the 5th Form nlt., and is due here on or about the 3rd prox. The T.K.K. str. Kiyo Marit left Callso for

this port via Mexican ports, Honolulu, and Japan ports, on the 30th ultimo.
The P. & A. S.S. Co.'s chartered str. Strath. fillan sails from Portland on the 15th instant, | Martin.

via Japan ports for Hongkong.

WEI-HAI-WEI SCHOOL.

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CHAIRMAN'S REMARKS His Henour the Commissioner, SIR JAMES STEWART LOCKHART, said that he felt diffident in appearing before them that day, because it was the third occasion on which he had had the temerity to come before them and try to tell them something about education. They all knew the old saying that the ancients had stolen all the best ideas. There was very little originality in the world. Even the latest smart hat was only a later edition of a former glory, the only unchanging concemitants of it being the sweet face under it which was now left to imagination. He had therefore nothing original to say, but he hoped he might be allowed to make some remarks on the report which Mr. Beer had just read. In the first place he congratulated the school on the numbers it had reached (choers). The pupils had increased from 44 last year to 55 this year. He remembered that on the first occasion on which he distributed the prizes there were only a very few pupils, and that was not so many years ago. Now the number had more than quintopled (cheers). He congratulated the boys who had fleshed their swords in that awful bogey, examination. He hoped that their efforts would be attended with they same success in fature, and that victory would a ways be theirs, (cheers). He believed there were certain diffinulties in the way of their taking the Oxford or Cambridge Local Examinations, but he doped that they would be got over, and he felt sure that the Wei-hai-wei boys would be as successful in these examinations, as they had been in those they had passed. He was pleased to hear of the success of Grimble (cheers). As a father, he thought that Mr. Grimble had a great deal to do with that success. There was such a thing as heredity, and he knew the grandfather, father and the son. Mr. Grimble was an excellent swimmer, cricketer and footballer, and also excelled in music. Not unnaturally the son has followed in the paternal footsteps. They would agree with him that fathers should not be forgotten on these occasions. If a man had good forbears, the chances were that his son would be good also. The boys would be fathers themselves one day, and their qualities might be reproduced in their sons. They should strive be reproduced in their sons. They hould strive to acquire qualities which would be a credit to themselves and these who would come after them. The Child is Father of the man and the qualities acquired in youth are those that will he of imperiance throughout life (hear, hear). He was glad that the school was becoming more and more a preparatory school which, he thought, would tend to make it still more successful in the future. His Houser then commented on the outdoor life side of education.
He was very gratified to find how well the scouting movement had developed. The movement was important in helping to build up the character of the boy; it taught a boy initiative, resource, independence, self-reliance.

He had to rely on himself in this world, where he would find that the Lord halps these that help themselves. The success of the movement was due to the energy of the Scontmaster, Mr. Craddock (cheers), and he congratulated him on receiving his warrant as Scoutmuster from General Sir Baden-Powell, and also the troop on being registered at Headquarters (cheers). One of the chief functions of a scout was, he believed, to make captures; and Inspector Crudge, who had helped in the scouting movement, had proved himself a good scout. He had made a brilliant capture which, they would probably hear about next year. He congrutulated the boys who had swum to the Island (cheers), a distance of 3,000 yds.—and was glad to see his friend Mengens was amongst them. Swimming taught them endurance, never to say die though futigued and weary. He remembered when he was their age swimming a mile and being very proud of it himself; but his perform ance was as nothing compared with the feat they had accomplished. He remembered a previous boy, named Martinson, who was, he thought, among the first to swim to the Island, and he was glad the present boys were not exactly following in his footsteps, but swimming in his wake-(hear hear). Mr. Beer had referred to the health of the school. It was a matter in which everybody must take special interest: in fact, he regarded the health of the school as an indication of the health of the community. Wei-ha -wei was an extremely healthy place—so healthy that when a case of sickness occurred, it was at once magnified into an epidemic! He had been reading a most entertaining book called "The Lion and the Dragon in North China" by Mr. Johnston, the District Officer of Wei-hai-wei, which had just been published, and which contained much of great interest concerning Weihai-wei. He would like to quote a few words from it regarding the school,—"It would be difficult anywhere in Asia to flad a healthier place for a school, and certainly on the coast of China, the site is peerless" (hear, hear). In addition to being situated so favourably the school was most fortunate in the possession of Mrs Hamblin, as Matron, whose care of the boys undoubtedly contributed largely to their excollent health. They had already applauded the mention of her name, and he thought she deserved another cheer, if not a "tiger" (cheers). He was glad to hear there was a prospect of a Girls' School and the Government was naturally only too ready to encourage such a schome, and was prepared with its usual self-sacrificing spirit to give the use of a commedious building, at present curpty, at a reasonable rent (hear, hear). With the article in the Times, quoted by Mr. Beer, on schools and schoolmasters he did not entirely agree. He did not consider that a schoolmaster was looked down upon and not Sandakan on the 6th instant p.m., and may be properly esteemed in this world. They all looked back upon their old school and the masters who had taught them, with affection and esteem, and very properly so since they all owed so much to

> their country if unchecked. He quoted .:-"The Devil row is wiser than of yore

their old masters. But he did agree with what

the writer said about luxury. They were living in

a most luxurious age and the luxurious pamper-

ing of the young would lead to great dangers to

And tempts by making rich, not making poor." He was sure the boys enjoyed their "tuck" far more when they did not have too much of it-You can have too much of a good thing even in the way of " tuck". He hoped that the Weihai-wei boys would never be known as the pampered creatures of a luxurious age (loud

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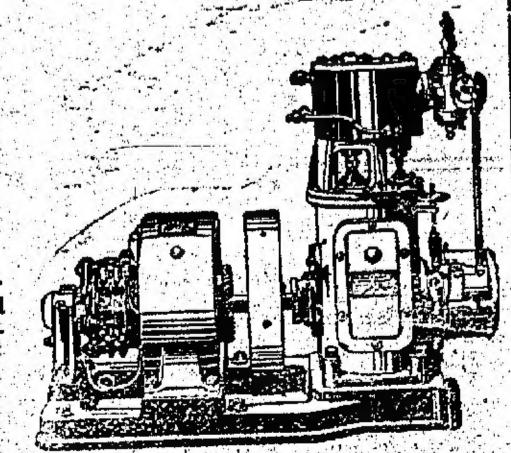
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